



## CITY OF LODI

## COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**AGENDA TITLE:** Contract Award for Wood Pole Testing (EUD 98-1)  
**MEETING DATE:** June 3, 1998  
**SUBMITTED BY:** Electric Utility Director

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** That the City Council adopt the attached resolution awarding the contract for wood pole testing to the low bidder Osmose Wood Preserving, Inc. Phoenix, Arizona, in the amount of \$16,521.68.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** On May 6, 1998, the City Council approved specifications and authorized advertisement for bids. Bid proposals were sent to five pole testing firms:

Osmose Wood Preserving	Phoenix, AZ
Division of CSI	Harrisburg, NC
Davey Tree Surgery Co.	Livermore, CA
Asplundh Tree Expert Co.	Rocklin, CA
Arbor Tree Surgery	Paso Robles, CA

Two bids were opened on May 20, 1998 with the following results:

Osmose Wood Preserving	\$16,521.68
Phoenix, AZ	
Asplundh Tree Expert Co.	\$24,976.00
Rocklin, CA	

**FUNDING:** Originally budgeted 1997-99  
Capital Budget (Page E-8)  
Budgeted Fund 160650  
Budgeted Amount \$25,000

Alan N. Vallow  
Electric Utility Director

Approved \_\_\_\_\_

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H. Dixon Flynn  
City Manager

MAY 26, 1998

Funding Available: *Ruby R. Paitt for*  
Vicky McAthie, Finance Director

**Prepared by:** Carl Lindstrom, Electric Utility Superintendent

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c: City Attorney  
Finance Director  
Purchasing Officer

Approved \_\_\_\_\_

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H. Dixon Flynn  
City Manager

MAY 26, 1998

RESOLUTION NO. 98-73

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL  
AWARDING THE BID FOR WOOD POLE TESTING

WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on May 20, 1998 at 11:00 a.m. for Wood Pole Testing, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on May 6, 1998 and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>
Osmose Wood Preserving, Phoenix, AZ	\$16,521.68
Asplundh Tree Expert Co., Rocklin	\$24,976.00

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends award of the bid for wood pole testing, be made to the low bidder, Osmose Wood Preserving of Phoenix, AZ; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the bid for wood pole testing, be and the same is hereby awarded to Osmose Wood Preserving of Phoenix, AZ, the low bidder, in the amount of \$16,521.68.

Dated: June 3, 1998

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 98-73 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held June 3, 1998, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - Johnson, Land, Mann, Pennino and  
Sieglock (Mayor)

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

  
ALICE M. REIMCHE  
City Clerk